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FOR: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING PROTOCOLS USED TO OBTAIN STATUS INFORMATION FROM A NETWORK DEVICE

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the discussion with Applicants' representative on March 26, 2009, at which time the references to Nadeau et al. in the Response to Arguments section of the Office Action dated January 26, 2009, were clarified.

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that this statement is a proper recordation of the substance of the interview of March 26, 2009, in compliance with MPEP § 713.04.

Respectfully submitted,

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